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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KAREL VAN DEN BERG ET AL

Examiner: Susan Piascik

Art Group: 3643

Serial No.: 09/855,535

Filed: May 16, 2001

For: AN IMPLEMENT FOR AUTOMATICALLY DETACHING AND DISPLACING  
AN AMOUNT OF FEED, SUCH AS, FOR EXAMPLE, SILAGE OR HAY

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AMENDMENT

To the Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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This is in response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2002.

✓ Please cancel all claims without prejudice.

Please add the following claims:

Claim 49. An apparatus for automatically detaching and displacing feed for animals which comprises a container for said animal feed, an animal feed stand for receiving said animal feed from said container, wherein said animal feed stand and said animal feed container are integrated, said animal feed stand for accommodating an animal to consume said animal feed, a robot arm which is constructed and arranged to move said animal feed from said container to said animal feed stand, said robot arm comprising detaching means for detaching part of said animal feed from said animal feed in said container and displacing means for selectively

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